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 Serial No.: 10/798,080 Group Art Unit: 2618  
 Filed: March 11, 2004 Examiner: Nguyen Thanh VO  
 For: FREQUENCY CORRECTION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
 CORRECTING SECULAR CHANGE

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AMENDMENT TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Sir:

This is a response to the final Office Action mailed September 27, 2006 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

FEE CALCULATION

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If checked, "Small Entity" status is claimed.

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